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AMENDMENT & REMARKS ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated June 13, 2008, having a shortened statutory period expiring on September 13, 2008. Accompanying this response is a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a two month extension of time, setting a new time for response to November 13, 2008. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No amendments to the specification or drawings are presented in this paper.

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Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.